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## **AMENDMENT**

Box Non-Fee Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed July 17, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE TITLE:

Cancel the present title and substitute | BOX LOCK WITH SAFETY DEVICE --.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 3 and 9.